

# JAPANESE OFFICIALS INJURED

## H. M. Stephens to Be Candidate For Hempstead Judge

County Judge Candidate Recommends Salary Be Fixed at \$1,800

### SAVINGS PROMISED

Stephens Pledges Full Information Regarding County Finances

H. M. Stephens, announced Friday as a candidate for county and probate judge, subject to the action of the Democratic primary election August 9.

Mr. Stephens addressed the following statement to the voters and taxpayers of Hempstead county:

"After strong solicitation from all parts of the county, and after careful consideration, I have decided to make the race for county and probate judge.

"Owing to the financial situation, I think it is fair to the taxpayers that the county judge's salary should be reduced from the present high salary of \$3000 to \$1800 per year. If I am elected, I shall ask the next legislature to fix the salary of this office at \$1800 per year; and, regardless of whether the salary is reduced by law, I will not accept more than \$1800 per year.

**Favors Retrenchment**

"Taxes and salaries and expenses are too high and must come down. People everywhere are demanding retrenchment and reduction in the expenses of public affairs. They are right, and I am with them. The affairs of this county can be economically administered at a great saving to the taxpayers.

"I would not ask anyone to cut his salary or compensation fixed by law unless I had first cut my own salary. The county judge, as at the head of the financial affairs of the county and should lead the way in this retrenchment program, therefore I am offering would not ask anyone to cut his salary or compensation more than I had reduced mine, as I feel the larger the salary, the greater should be the cut.

"If I am elected I shall endeavor, to the best of my ability, to keep the county out of useless and expensive lawsuits. This does not mean that I will not protect the county's interest, but I will at all times be governed by the law and will apply the same reason and common sense in administering the business and affairs of the county as I would in my own business affairs, and will give the county and its affairs the very best service of which I am capable. All claims against the county will be carefully investigated and either allowed or disallowed according to law without any unnecessary delay.

**To Reveal County Finances**

"I believe that the people are entitled to know the condition of the financial affairs of the county, and I will have published a financial statement of the county at least twice a year without undue expense to the county.

"With the advice and assistance of the Quorum Court and the road overseers and other officers of the county, and with the advice and encouragement of those believing in good government and having the interest of the county at heart, it is my humble belief that I can render our county a worthwhile service in this time of distress. I shall endeavor to see that no locality is favored more than another, so that each locality may get its proportionate part of whatever it is in the administration of the affairs of the county.

"I am soliciting the vote and active support of every citizen who would like to see a sane, sensible, conservative and less expensive, yet progressive, administration of the affairs of this county.

H. M. Stephens.

## University Head Attacks Bonus Pay

Richard O'Neill, Former Disabled Veteran Chief Also Is Heard Friday

WASHINGTON—(AP)—Irving Fisher, Yale University economist and Richard O'Neill of New York, former state chairman of disabled American veterans and holder of a Congressional medal of honor Friday assailed the cash payment of the soldiers' bonus, before the House Ways and Means Committee.

Fisher argued that the cash payment would be a blow to the confidence of the people and that it would be unsound to inflate currency.

O'Neill said that the needy veterans should be helped, but that the "real veteran" wants a job with a living wage.

## 4 1-2 Million Vote Shows 73 Pct. Wet

Only Two Dry States Are Kansas and North Carolina, by Barest Fraction, in Final Tabulation of Literary Digest Nation-Wide Straw Vote

Seventy-three voters out of every hundred favor a repeal of the Eighteenth Amendment as evidenced by the final figures in the Literary Digest's nation-wide prohibition poll, which will be published in the magazine Saturday.

A total of 4,668,537 ballots were returned and counted in this "straw" referendum. The division of the final figures shows 1,236,650 or 26.49 per cent, voting for continuance of the Prohibition Amendment and 3,431,877, or 73.11 per cent, favoring repeal.

Kansas and North Carolina are the only two States giving a clear majority for prohibition, Kansas voting dry by a majority of 397 votes out of a total of 24,121 ballots received and North Carolina voting dry by a majority of 68 votes out of a total of 64,790 ballots returned.

The wettest section of the United States as evidenced by the returns in this poll is the group of States from the Mississippi river east to the Atlantic ocean and approximately north of the Mason-Dixon Line, with the dampest concentration in the seaboard States of New York, New Jersey, Connecticut and Rhode Island.

**South Is Driest**

The driest section of the country includes the belt of States extending from Kansas, Oklahoma and Texas to the Atlantic with the exception of Mississippi, Missouri, Louisiana, and Florida, which three States register high wet majorities.

The balance of the Middle Western states show a sentiment wetter than the Southern group but considerably dryer than the Northeastern section of the country.

The Rocky Mountain States show a collective vote slightly less wet than

the country at large while the Pacific Coast States give a majority for repeal higher than the national ratio. Thirty-three states and the District of Columbia return wet majorities in the final tabulation ranging from 2 to 1 to over 7 to 1 for repeal.

**Large Vote From Arkansas**

Six states, giving a return of between 40 to 50 per cent of their total votes for the continuance of Prohibition, include Tennessee, Arkansas, Oklahoma, Alabama, Mississippi, and South Carolina, ranked in the order of their greater dry sentiment.

Nine states finally voting more than 4 to 1 wet, are Connecticut, Illinois, Louisiana, Montana, Nevada, New Jersey, New York, Rhode Island and Wisconsin.

The nine states voting over 3 to 1 wet in the final returns include California, Maryland, Massachusetts, Michigan, Minnesota, New Mexico, North Dakota, Washington, and Wyoming.

The fifteen states returning a 2 to 1 majority, for prohibition are Delaware, Florida, Idaho, Kentucky, Maine, New Hampshire, Ohio, Oregon, Pennsylvania, South Dakota, Utah, Vermont, India, Missouri, and Arizona.

**Nevada Is Wettest**

Nevada heads the wet column with 88.20 per cent of its final vote for repeal while Kansas, for some weeks during the poll the only dry state, heads the column for Prohibition in the final vote.

The drys showed a continuous gain during the progress of the poll, the ratio for prohibition continuance increasing from 15.85 per cent of the

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## Jury Deadlocked In Honolulu Case

Still Deliberating But Not Expected to Agree in Massie Trial

HONOLULU.—A verdict in the Fortesque-Massie murder trial jury seemed distant according to the latest reports. Twelve men of mixed racial strains who have the fate of the four defendants—Mrs. Granville Fortesque; her son-in-law, Lieut. Thomas H. Massie, U. S. N.; and two sailors, E. J. Lord and Albert O. Jones—for the killing of Joseph Kahahawai in their hands and something, perhaps, of the political destiny of the islands, march in and out of the jury room, to meals and to rest with grim, set faces.

They looked weary and hard, as though resigned to a long battle.

Rumors were heard of a 9-to-3 standing in favor of acquittal. Then it was whittled to 10 to 2. But it may be the other way, as far as any real knowledge is concerned, Honolulu is going quietly about its daily business, accepting the situation and looking on a jury decision, if any, as a miracle.

## Ozarks Commencement Scheduled for May 29

CLARKSVILLE, Ark.—(AP)—The Rev. William B. Hodgson, pastor of the First Congregational church of Moline, Ill., will deliver the commencement address at the College of the Ozarks June 1. Mr. Hodgson is an alumnus of the college.

The baccalaureate sermon will be given May 29 by the Rev. T. F. Watkins, pastor of the First Presbyterian church of White Plains, N. Y.

## FLAPPER FANNY SAYS:



## Dismissal Sought By Bishop Cannon

Seeks to Have Appeal by Government Thrown Out of Court

WASHINGTON.—(AP)—Bishop James Cannon, Jr., Friday asked dismissal of an appeal by the government from a decision which invalidated an indictment against him, charging violation of election laws.

The churchman argued that the appeal should have been taken to the United States Supreme Court instead of to the District of Columbia Court of Appeals.

The original indictments against Cannon were declared to be not properly drawn and invalid by the District of Columbia Supreme Court.

## Saenger Cuts out Afternoon Show

Price Policy to Be 10c and 25c at All Times, Theater Announces

Effective next week the Saenger theatre announces that matinees are to be eliminated with the exception of Sundays and Saturdays.

In other words there are to be no matinees Monday through Friday. The show will begin at night as usual at 7.15. Another important policy change is the new picture schedule.

It is as follows:

One picture will be shown for the Saturday night preview and on Sunday and Monday; another to be shown Tuesday and Wednesday; another Thursday and Friday; and the usual double feature on Saturday only.

The admission price is to be children 10 cents and adults 25 cents any time including Saturday night previews and Sunday. The picture that is to be shown for the preview this Saturday night, Sunday and Monday is Maurice Chevalier in "One Hour With You."

## Clarksville Dairy Destroyed By Fire

Loss Estimated at Between \$10,000 and \$12,000, With No Insurance

CLARKSVILLE.—The Hunt Dairy, three and a half miles west of Clarksville near Highway No. 64, burned about 9 Thursday morning. All equipment, feed, buildings, including dwelling and furnishings were destroyed. Loss is estimated between \$10,000 and \$12,000 with no insurance.

The dairy was owned by Dr. W. E. Hunt, Sr., and was operated by T. L. Bean, who was in Clarksville when the fire was discovered.

## Local Club Aiding E. F. McFaddin for Rotary Governor

Many Clubs Pledged to Local Man for Hot Springs Election Meeting

### SESSION IS IN MAY

L. Carter Johnson Succeeds C. C. Spragins as President of Local Club

Plans for a last-minute canvass of the state in behalf of E. F. McFaddin, candidate of the Hope club for district governor of Rotary when the 62nd district conference meets at Hot Springs May 18-19, were formulated at Friday's club luncheon in Hotel Barlow.

Mr. McFaddin was brought out as a district candidate by the Hope club eight months ago, and campaign literature has been distributed to more than half the individual members of Rotary in Arkansas.

The Hope man already has the pledges of more than a dozen of the 32 clubs in the district, and the Hope club is confident he will be elected at the Hot Springs meeting. Local Rotarians within the next week or so will visit some of the larger Rotary cities not already pledged to the Hope man, and will complete the pre-election campaign.

Arrangements for the attendance of the Hope club at Hot Springs in a body are to be made by a committee comprising Terrell Cornelius, Dr. W. R. Anderson and George W. Robinson.

L. Carter Johnson, president-elect, will be the local delegate to Hot Springs, and Terrell Cornelius will alternate.

Mr. Johnson was chosen club president for the year beginning in July on a unanimous ballot for the entire official list brought in by the nominating committee. With Mr. Johnson are the following new officers:

Vice-president, J. R. Henry; secretary, Frank Ward; treasurer, Nick Jewell; directors, Pat Duffie and Alex. H. Washburn.

Friday's luncheon program consisted in the reading by Nick Jewell of a highly amusing sketch, "I Like the Depression," written by Henry Ansley of the Amarillo (Texas) Globe-News. Mr. Ansley's sketch was secured through G. J. MacGregor, manager of Hope Basket company, who had distributed a number of copies among local friends.

## Batten Was Slain, Evidence Indicates

Witnesses Swear Ex-Convict Threatened to Kill Hattiesburg Reporter

HATTIESBURG, Miss.—(AP)—Over objections of defense lawyers, Judge W. J. Pack Thursday admitted into the record testimony tending to show that Hansel Batten, young Hattiesburg reporter, was slain out of revenge for a court story he had written.

Tom Jones, alleged former bootlegger of Hattiesburg, is on trial for murder in connection with the death of Batten, whose mangled body was found on the railway tracks here on the morning of February 10.

Grover Edwards, a prosecution witness, said he had heard Jones comment on an article written by Batten, and published in the Hattiesburg American, telling of Jones' wife appearing in court in connection with a reported fight at Jones' home during a celebration over Jones' return from the federal penitentiary.

Edwards quoted Jones as saying if Batten didn't "quit putting my name in the paper I am going to do away with him."

Carl Mimms, another witness, said Jones had admitted that Batten was at the Jones house the night of his death.

G. L. Crosby, a brother-in-law of Jones, said that Jones had asked him whether he would sign his bond "in event I am arrested for killing Batten." Crosby said that he saw "plenty of blood" in the Jones' home and in an outhouse.

Bloodstained wood from the Jones house was examined by Dr. F. H. Bowers, of South Mississippi Infirmary, but he was unable to say whether they were human or animal bloodstains.

The physician said that he examined Batten's body within a half hour after the freight train passed over it. He estimated that the man had been dead there at least an hour. Batten's body was cold, Dr. Bowers said.

"The state is attempting to prove that Batten was slain and his body later placed on the railroad tracks.

## Looks Like a Little Reign



Royally robed in sky blue transparent, velvet, studded with rhinestones, Miss Eleanor Nolte, shown above, was crowned empress of the Fiesta de San Jacinto and Celestial Light of the Court of Light at the San Antonio, Texas, ceremonies commemorating the 96th anniversary of the battle of San Jacinto in 1836. An elaborate pageant recalled the battle, fought between Mexicans and Sam Houston's troops near the present site of Houston. A court of 12 girls attended Empress Nolte during her brief reign.

## Nashville Factory Destroyed By Fire

Plant for Making Boxes Is Total Loss in Blaze Early Thursday

NASHVILLE, Ark.—The box factory of the Nashville Manufacturing company was destroyed by fire at an early hour Thursday morning, the blaze being discovered by F. Farrar, manager of the factory, at about 2:30 a. m.

Mr. Farrar stated that he could hardly make a close estimate of the loss as yet, but said that it would be at least \$10,000, and that no insurance whatever was carried on the plant or any of the materials, which included large quantities of lumber.

In addition to the plant equipment of the company, Mr. Farrar had several fine machines in the building and these were also uninsured. There is doubt if any of the machines can be salvaged because of the intense heat.

There is no way of knowing how the fire got started. Mr. Farrar was of the opinion that it was probably started by hoboes who were spending the night in the plant. During the time the plant has been uninsured no watchman has been kept at the plant, but it has been a custom of Mr. Farrar to make a round of the plant before retiring each night. Wednesday night he failed to make this usual round. The plant had been operated Tuesday, but was closed down Wednesday while Mr. Farrar went to Texarkana, where he was given an order for crates which would have put the plant back in operation next Monday for a good run.

Mr. Farrar said that he does not know whether he will build another plant here, but was of the opinion that he would do so, especially if it is found that some of the machinery can be salvaged. The plant furnished employment to a number of people for part time.

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## Curtis Cannon Seeks State Office

Pays Fee As Candidate for Lieutenant Governor of Arkansas

LITTLE ROCK.—(AP)—Curtis Cannon paid his fee of the Democratic Committee Friday, as a candidate for lieutenant governor of Arkansas.

Mr. Cannon is one of the Representatives in the Arkansas legislature from Hempstead county. He is the only son of Dr. and Mrs. G. E. Cannon of this city and a former newspaper man.

Practically his entire life has been spent in this city. He is a graduate of the Hope high school and Ouachita college.

## Union Co. to Take Over Maintenance

Judge J. G. Ragsdale Offers Labor, Refiners to Furnish Fuel

EL DORADO.—Union county will take over maintenance work on state highways within its boundaries until the state Highway Department resumes maintenance work, it was announced Thursday by County Judge J. G. Ragsdale.

The Highway Department will furnish equipment and oil and Union county will furnish labor. Work was begun Thursday. The Lion Oil Refining Company will furnish gasoline free, and other refiners will be asked to contribute additional fuel.

Judge Ragsdale said that work on the state highways will not interfere with maintenance work on county roads.

A similar program advanced by County Judge Wot Johnson at Camden was vetoed by District Engineer L. R. Plimmons of District No. 7. Mr. Plimmons has not announced his decision with regard to the El Dorado judge's proposal.

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## Lumber Dealers Meet in Capital on May 17

LITTLE ROCK, Ark.—(AP)—E. A. Duensing, of Concordia, Mo., president of the Southwest Lumbermen's Association, will address the annual convention of the Arkansas Association of Lumber Dealers here May 17.

W. C. Chamberlin, of Little Rock, president of the association, said the one-day meeting will open at 9 a. m. and end at 4 p. m., with a special luncheon for member delegates.

Other officers of the association are Oran J. Vaughan, Seavey, vice president; L. P. Biggs, Little Rock, managing director; R. J. Williams, North Little Rock, treasurer.

## Bomb Explodes Amid Executives Watching Parade

### Bulletins

M'CRORY, Ark.—(AP)—Fire of undetermined origin destroyed the Methodist church here early Friday. The loss was estimated at \$20,000.

WASHINGTON.—(AP)—Insurgents seized control of a disorderly house Friday and struck from the economy bill, the provision withdrawing federal contributions to vocational education.

MANAGUA, Nicaragua.—(AP)—Florentio Silva, one of Augusto Sandino's chief insurgent leaders, was killed on April 28, in a fight the National Guard near the Honduran frontier the guard reported Friday. At least ten others were killed and a quantity of arms and ammunition captured.

## Yorktown Shares Kidnaping Mystery

Historic Village Said to Be Scene of Negotiations for Lindbergh Baby

YORKTOWN, Va.—(AP)—This historic village Friday shared in the mystery surrounding the efforts of three Norfolk intermediaries to recover the stolen child of Mr. and Mrs. Charles A. Lindbergh.

Reports received that Yorktown has served as the negotiating headquarters for the negotiators.

Officials would neither deny or confirm the reports of developments here in connection with the case.

Reports from Hopewell said that Colonel Lindbergh had recently been seeking contact with the kidnapers of his son.

Meanwhile two of the Norfolk intermediaries were absent from their homes on secret missions.

## Kidnapers Sought In 29 Countries

Part of Ransom Money in Lindbergh Case Reported in Switzerland

HOPEWELL, N. J.—(AP)—The official search for the kidnapers of Charles Augustus Lindbergh, Jr., has extended to 29 countries in Europe and South America, it was disclosed on Thursday the 58th day of the crime.

Preceding this revelation by Col. H. Norman Schwarzkopf of the New Jersey state police, came an announcement that Salvatore Spitalo and Irving Bitz, underworld intermediaries in the case, had withdrawn from the quest because of the payment of \$50,000 in ransom by Col. Charles A. Lindbergh.

In his daily bulletin Colonel Schwarzkopf said authorities in Geneva, Switzerland, had been asked to confirm a report that part of the ransom money had turned up in that country, adding that "Switzerland is included in the 29 countries contacted."

The serial numbers of the currency paid to one of the supposed abductors by Dr. John F. Condon on April 2 were communicated to officials "all over Europe and South America" several weeks ago, Colonel Schwarzkopf said, and they were asked to keep a sharp watch for any of the bills.

Spitalo and Bitz authorized a statement through their attorney, Abraham Wilson, saying "Spitalo had pleaded with Colonel Lindbergh not to pay this \$50,000 through Dr. Condon," the "Jafie" of newspaper dealings. They asserted also they had no idea who the kidnapers were.

**State Official Resigns Position**

**Secretary of the State Tax Commission to Leave Office May 15**

LITTLE ROCK.—(AP)—Charles Wallis, of Arkadelphia, secretary of the Arkansas Tax Commission for the past two and one-half years, sent in his resignation Friday to be effective on May 15, it was announced here.

A successor will not be appointed to fill the vacancy, in order to save \$8,000 appropriated by the state for his salary.

## Physicians Report Five Men's Injuries May Not Be Fatal

Military Troops Resume Control of City After Outbreak

MOB ATTACKS MAN

Police Report Korean Makes Confession of Throwing Bomb

SHANGHAI.—(AP)—Five high ranking Japanese army, navy and diplomatic officials were critically wounded Friday when a bomb burst among them as they sat in a reviewing stand watching a military parade in honor of the birthday of Emperor Hirohito.

All of the injured men were in a serious condition late Friday but physicians thought they had a chance to recover.

Japanese troops appeared on the streets of the Hongkong district, immediately resuming military patrol, which was withdrawn after the fighting had stopped two months ago.

No one knew what effect could be seen on the ineffectual peace parades between the Chinese and the Japanese, but it appeared that negotiations would suffer from this outbreak.

**Mob Attacks Man**

Someone spotted as a bomb thrower, and beat him severely before he was rescued by the police.

Later police said they had wrung a confession from a Korean that he had thrown the bomb. Six Chinese were also under investigation in connection with the crime.

The most seriously injured was Minoru Shigemitsu, Japanese minister to China, who may lose one of his legs. Kuramatsu Murie, Japanese Consul General received a shattered left leg; General Yoshinori Shirakawa, Japanese Commander in Chief had all of his teeth knocked out by the impact. General Kenichi Ueyeda, Commander of the Shanghai battles lost three toes and received serious body wounds and Admiral Nomura, Naval Commander in Chief lost an eye.

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## Aged Waldo Physician Dies Thursday Afternoon

MAGNOLIA.—Dr. Joshua Beasley, aged 76, physician of Waldo, died at his home Thursday afternoon from a stroke of apoplexy suffered Tuesday. Dr. Beasley, a native of Georgia, had lived in Waldo most of his life and had practiced medicine there the past 40 years.



# SOCIETY NEWS

Mrs. Sid Henry Telephone 821  
The Changing World

## Remember Her?



After years of absence from the West Coast, where she once reigned as one of the queens in filmland, Anita Stewart returned to testify in the suit of La Cienega Holding Company against Mrs. Ignatius Brown, mother of Herbert Brown, noted song writer. Anita is shown above waiting in a courtroom. Lately Miss Stewart had been engaged in small playlets presented on eastern vaudeville circuits. She is married to George Converse.

As a closing link in the chain of parties being given this week for the purpose of raising funds to beautify the Julia Chester hospital grounds, Mrs. W. T. Gorham entertained at one table of contract bridge on Thursday afternoon at her home on East Second street. The attractive Gorham apartment had an added beauty in a quantity of artistically arranged spring flowers. The high score favor went to Mrs. W. H. Hutchinson. The guest list included Mrs. W. H. Hutchinson, Mrs. A. M. Key, Mrs. A. K. Holloway and Mrs. C. C. McNeill. A delicious salad course was served at the conclusion of the game.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. I. Rephan and Mrs. Rephan's sister, Mrs. Lewis Albert of Long Island, drove to Hot Springs Tuesday evening for the Con-Continental celebration. They returned Wednesday evening.

Mrs. Taylor Stuart and daughter, Miss Charlotte, will spend the week end visiting with friends in Arkadelphia.

Fred Stroud left Thursday on a business trip to Memphis, Tenn.

The many friends of Mrs. Johnny McCabe will be glad to know that the latest news from Barnes hospital in St. Louis, where she has been a patient for the past six weeks or more, states that Mrs. McCabe's improvement has been so marked for the past week that she is now allowed to sit up twice daily, and with no reticence will probably be able to be removed to her home in about two weeks.

Dr. Pink Carrigan was called to St. Louis on Thursday night to attend the bedside of his sister-in-law, Mrs. Alf Carrigan, of Wichita Falls, Tex., whose illness occurred while she was in Washington City, attending the National D. A. R. congress.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Shiver will have as week end guests, Mr. William Melton of Conway and Miss Mary White of Foreman.

As a link in the chain of benefit parties being given this week for beautifying the grounds of the Julia Chester hospital, Mrs. J. T. West entertained a few friends on Thursday afternoon at a Just Visiting party at her home on Division street. Friends enjoying this happy occasion were: Mrs. Alice McMath, Mrs. Vessy Crutcheff, Mrs. J. H. Arnold, Mrs. Don Smith and Miss Maggie Bell, Mrs. C. A. Graves and Miss Beryl Henry called during the tea hour.

Circle No. 3 of First Methodist church will meet at 3 o'clock Monday afternoon at the home of Mrs. W. E. Jones on East Third street with Mrs. J. L. Stringer, Mrs. C. Cook and Mrs. Cecil Weaver as associate hostesses.

The regular meeting of the Womens Christian Temperance Union, postponed because of the annual convention of the Quenchita Presbyterian in this city at the time of the scheduled meeting, was held on Thursday afternoon at the First Methodist church. The singing of "What a Friend We Have in Jesus," with Mrs. W. P. Agee Sr. at the piano, was followed by the devotion given by Miss Mamie Twichell, who based her remarks on the Epistle to the Hebrews, who were urged to continue in faith, since their hope in Christ was better than the old

dispensation. Mrs. Twichell compared the lack of faith of the Hebrews, with that of the Americans today, who will not admit their present blessings, but constantly look back to the "good old days," and who are constantly beset by adverse propaganda and polls to add to their bewilderment. Following the reading of the minutes of the previous meeting, Mrs. H. H. Stuart, president, presided over a business session, during which it was announced that a medal contest would be held at the First Methodist church on Friday evening, May 13. Dr. J. L. Cannon, pastor of the First Methodist church told of his views about the present situation regarding enforcement of the laws and announced that he would preach a sermon on Sunday evening, with "Obedience" for his subject. Mrs. Stuart read a splendid editorial from the Warren Eagle Democrat, entitled, "Let's Do Something About It." If those who are so eager for law enforcement would aid, rather than hinder, and if those who say there is more lawlessness than ever before, would admit facts, the morale of the people would immediately improve, was the opinion of the writer. Following the Aeonian Benediction, the meeting adjourned to meet again on May 18.

## Four and a Half Million

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Total vote of the first week's returns to 28.49 per cent of the final vote. The District of Columbia vote is over 3 to 1 wet.

**Wet Vote Has Grown**  
The tenth and final tabulation in the 1930 Literary Digest prohibition poll giving three options on the ballot instead of two showed a total tabulation of 4,868,464 votes of which 1,464,098 or 30.46 per cent, were for strict enforcement while 1,398,314 or 29.11 per cent, were for modification to admit light wines and beers and 1,994,052, or 40.43 per cent were registered in favor of an outright repeal of the Eighteenth Amendment.

In the poll of two years ago, five states voted majorities for the Eighteenth Amendment while in the current poll only two states are reported dry.

In the 1930 poll, Kansas had a dry percentage of 57.67 while in the present referendum her prohibition majority is 50.23 per cent.

North Carolina voted 50.06 per cent dry in the poll of two years ago and 30.05 per cent in the current returns. Arkansas voted 52.19 per cent dry in 1930 as against 47.76 per cent this year. Oklahoma's dry vote of 50.94 per cent, two years ago is reduced to 45.47 per cent dry in 1932. Tennessee, voting 50.37 per cent for enforcement in 1930 now shows a final dry percentage of 48.54.

State	For Continuation	For Repeal
Alabama	16,394	20,438
Arizona	2,552	7,021
Arkansas	14,817	16,202
California	50,648	166,919
Colorado	14,870	22,887
Connecticut	11,383	60,559
Delaware	2,442	6,425
Dist. of Columbia	3,009	10,509
Florida	11,742	34,649
Georgia	14,038	25,479
Idaho	5,313	10,710
Illinois	53,748	228,972
Indiana	56,126	140,100
Iowa	32,480	57,874
Kansas	42,259	41,862
Kentucky	7,510	53,662
Louisiana	10,877	33,794
Maine	14,318	46,964
Maryland	39,184	143,950
Massachusetts	39,813	141,553
Michigan	31,475	101,694
Minnesota	12,047	15,305
Mississippi	43,880	106,519
Missouri	4,859	19,995
Montana	19,790	38,222
Nebraska	395	2,952
New Hampshire	6,620	14,529
New Jersey	29,953	174,908
New Mexico	1,587	4,781
New York	76,922	426,594
North Carolina	32,429	32,361

## A "Begger" With \$32,917

NEWARK, N. J.—(AP)—Baltimore's budget may be a national problem but for a quarter of a century it has been a simple matter in the household of Tony Misiak.



Tony Misiak... exhibits his riches. His shoes were worn through, his clothes were almost falling away, and he had holes in nearly every pocket except the one in which he carried his money. According to Misiak, he earns \$10 a week—as a "peddler"—and has saved \$32,917 since he married in 1904 and made a pact with his wife that she should support him through her job as a laundress.

"My wife gave me a quarter every day to buy cigarettes," Tony explained without blushing.

Recently the Misiaks separated, and Tony drew his money out of the bank "to buy real estate."

Part of his purchases, police said, were two bottles of gin alleged to have been found on his person. So he was booked on an additional charge of liquor possession.

North Dakota	6,610	21,205
Ohio	106,387	280,196
Oklahoma	25,026	30,004
Oregon	11,446	26,271
Pennsylvania	133,317	394,225
Rhode Island	3,431	18,395
South Carolina	12,282	18,361
South Dakota	7,110	15,159
Tennessee	27,479	29,122
Texas	49,839	76,321
Utah	4,550	10,261
Virginia	4,937	11,329
Washington	27,721	47,617
West Virginia	15,358	48,973
Wisconsin	22,662	44,741
Wyoming	20,702	110,528
State Unknown	1,832	6,420
U. S. Total	1,236,960	3,431,877

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When fire finds a householder without enough insurance there is no next time in so far as that property is concerned—it's gone. That's why the best time to take out insurance is before the fire.

Roy Anderson & Co.

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Hope, Arkansas

Cloudy mornings shouldn't keep you from rising bright and early

## 50th Anniversary of Kroger Stores

Operator of Hope Piggly Wiggly Started April 29, 1892, in Cincinnati

Celebrating the golden anniversary of the Kroger store, which operates in Hope under the trade name "Piggly Wiggly," V. L. Holly, manager, and N. O. Ellis, manager of the meat market, are staging a birthday party in the form of special values in foods.

The Kroger stores, now numbering approximately 5,000, of which about 3,500 have meat market departments, were founded April 29, 1892, by W. H. Kroger, of Cincinnati. Kroger opened his first store on that date. About two years later he opened his second, starting a plan of merchandising foods which has built the company to its present size, with stores in 23 states. It is today the nation's second largest retail grocery distribution organization, said Mr. Holly. There are about 23,000 employees.

There are 100 Kroger stores in Arkansas, said Mr. Holly, including four which have been opened up within the past six weeks. Several more may be opened this year, he said. The Hope store was opened for business Watermelon Festival Day, in August, 1928, at its present location on South Main. It has enjoyed a large and growing business ever since.

The Kroger stores are among the largest buyers of Arkansas' home grown food products, according to Mr. Holly. Each year they buy a large percentage of the watermelons and cantaloupes produced in this county, he said, which are shipped to their stores in Arkansas, as well as outside the state. Strawberries, beans, Irish and sweet potatoes, tomatoes, and all the truck products produced in this state are purchased in some quantity by this firm. Most of this produce goes to Kroger stores in other states.

## Stock 'Racketeers' Flayed By Blaine

Traders' Purpose to Gouge and Cheat Public, Senator Asserts

WASHINGTON—(AP)—Professional stock traders were compared with "racketeers, gangsters and pickpockets" by Senator Blaine, Republican, Wisconsin, Thursday in the Senate. "Professional traders never lose to the public," Blaine said. "They may lose among themselves, but their main purpose is to gouge, cheat and defraud the public."

The Senate Banking Committee was going ahead with the preparation of its secret plans for carrying on the investigation as Blaine, one of its members, called the developments so far to the attention of the Senate. "The Stock Exchange can be justly charged with having the leprosy of crime spotted all over it," Blaine said. Blaine said, "undertook to place the operators on the Exchange, and yet they are similar in character to the racketeer and the gangster."

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G. Frank Miles, Manager



Maureen O'Sullivan and C. Aubrey Smith in "Tarzan, The Ape Man," which closes at the Sanger Theatre (today) Friday.

## Fires Bullet Into Heart to End Life

P. O. Powell, 66, Succumbs While Being Placed in Ambulance

LITTLE ROCK—P. O. Powell, aged 66, took his own life at his home about 5:30 a. m. Thursday by firing a bullet into his heart.

W. H. Walker, a lodger at Powell's home, was asleep in the same room when Powell shot himself. The revolver was awakened him, but when he reached the dying man's side Powell was unconscious and the revolver had fallen at his side.

An ambulance was called. Powell died as he was being placed in the car. Dr. Samuel G. Boyce, coroner, was notified. He returned a verdict that Powell's death was a suicide.

Sez Hugh

IF THE PROFESSIONAL PRIZE FIGHTER DOESN'T STAY IN THE RING HE'S APT TO GET IN THE RED

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SIDE GLANCES By George Clark



"Think yer smart, eh? Well, how many hits did St. Louis make in the last world series?"

Bailey's Decision Stabilizes Politics

Pulaski Prosecutor Will Not Be in Race for Governor

By A. W. Parke  
More than a mere handful in Arkansas' political family heaved a sigh of relief when Carl Bailey, Pulaski's public prosecutor declined to be inveigled into the biennial gubernatorial handicap, and not the least of these was from Bailey himself. For more than a month Bailey lived in the center of a political maelstrom that would certainly have engulfed one more susceptible to the hypnotic

blatishments of the convincing manipulator. In a way, it might be termed a conflict between Ambition and Duty, that Bailey waged within himself, but to those who saw the maneuvers develop from the point of origin, Ambition was as a fleeting shadow, and Duty a problem that could be solved only by rending the child in halves.

Bailey was beset with the gubernatorial urge from three directions, independent of each other, and due to their inspiration, unable to effect co-ordination. First there were those sincere in their belief that he possesses the qualities essential to a successful handling of the chaotic conical handicap, and not the least of these was from Bailey himself. For more than a month Bailey lived in the center of a political maelstrom that would certainly have engulfed one more susceptible to the hypnotic

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FOR RENT—Six room house furnished or unfurnished, 408 Spruce street and one five room house on highway 67. Phone 1638-4. Mrs. J. E. Schooley. 21-6t

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FOR SALE—About 30 bushels Pure Bowden Cotton Seed at 30c per bushel. W. E. Jones, Hope, Ark. 28-3tp

FOR SALE—Laredo Soy Beans \$1.50 per bushel. Fred Petre Spring Hill road. 25-3t

LOST

LOST—One year old Presbyterian Sunday School pin. Return to R. W. Muldrow. 3pt.

Legal proceedings to inaugurate this program can be expected at any time, and due to an admitted unfriendly grand jury, such action as is undertaken will be civil in nature. Criminal charges may, in the meantime, stand completely by and watch the three years statute of limitation become operative. In ordinary times, action soon to be taken by the prosecuting attorney, might come under the head of scandal, but Arkansas is today too satiated with charge and counter-charge to be easily shocked. Taken any way you please, Bailey seems to have the situation by its well known ears.

Propositioned to become a gubernatorial candidate, Bailey listened intently. He was in a quandary as to how best to proceed, due largely to the resisting power of interests affiliated with persons he sought to convict, or the apparent impossibility of securing indictments against others he knew to be violators of the law. As governor he might iron out the situation. Bailey also knew this new interest in his political welfare was not engendered through friendly feeling toward him. Sophisticated in Arkansas politics, Bailey refused to let anyone launch his candidacy without more definite assurance of support later in the game. He asked that a substantial campaign fund—modest, as campaign funds go—be provided, and he had the tempters check-mated. While it is within the rules to give almost anyone who will be a candidate a little money to get another into the race, it was all too apparent that campaign funds contributed to Carl E. Bailey for Governor was contributing that much to come back later in unwelcome, if belated, justice. Carl E. Bailey as Governor was just as bad to them as Carl E. Bailey, militant prosecutor.

About this time the Audit Commission got into pay dirt. Possibilities began to show themselves, and Carl Bailey determined he would not be compelled to have the power of the executive office to wring the people's dollars, diverted into strange channels, restored to the sanctuary of the state treasury. So now he can go right on with the business at hand, and so far as state politics is concerned, that is that.

With both parties hurling charges of corruption against the other, it looks as if the November election will be a case of voting for the least corrupt.

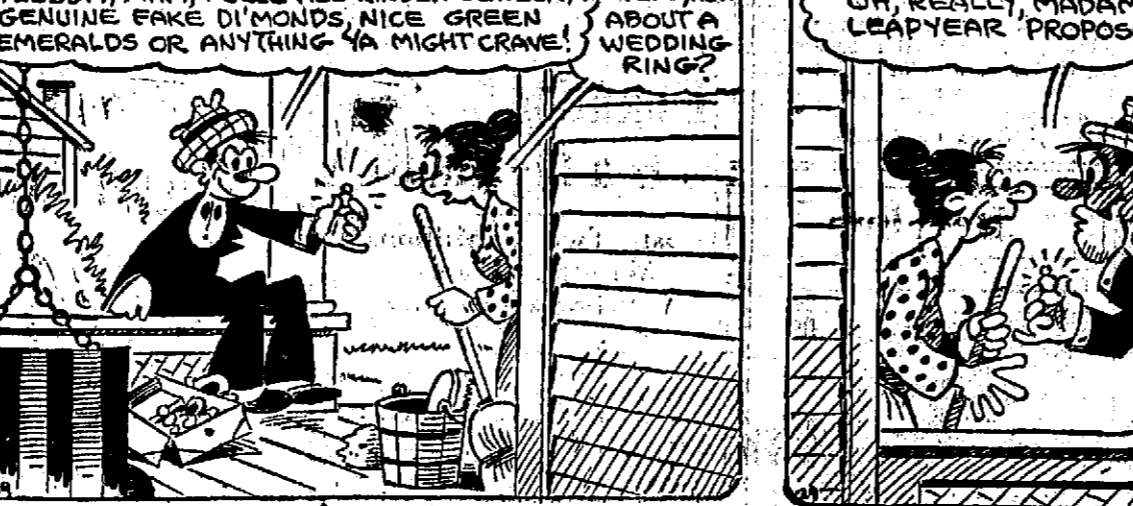
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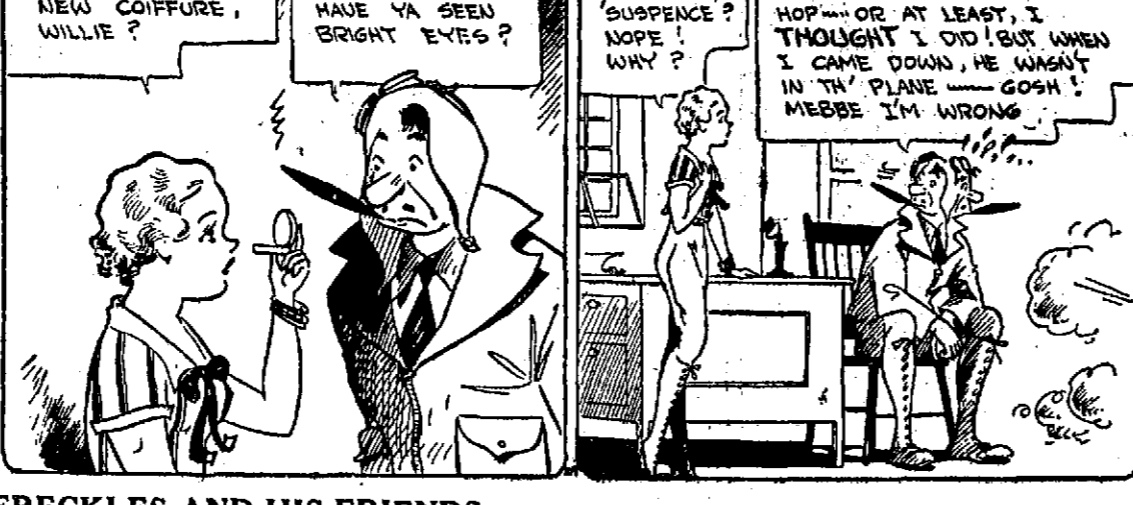
WELL, BUT I'VE FOUND THAT THE BEST WAY TO CATCH KANGAROOS ALIVE, IS TO SPREAD CRUMBS AROUND THEIR FEEDING PLACES—THAT WAS MY SECRET SYSTEM!—TH' OKUNG MASH GIVES TH' KANGAROO A JAG. AN' MAKES IT JUMP BACKWARDS!—HE THINKS HE IS GETTING AWAY FROM YOU, BUT INSTEAD, HE IS JUMPING BACKWARDS, STRAIGHT AT YOU! AN' INTO TH' NET!—I'VE CAUGHT HUNDREDS OF 'EM THAT WAY!



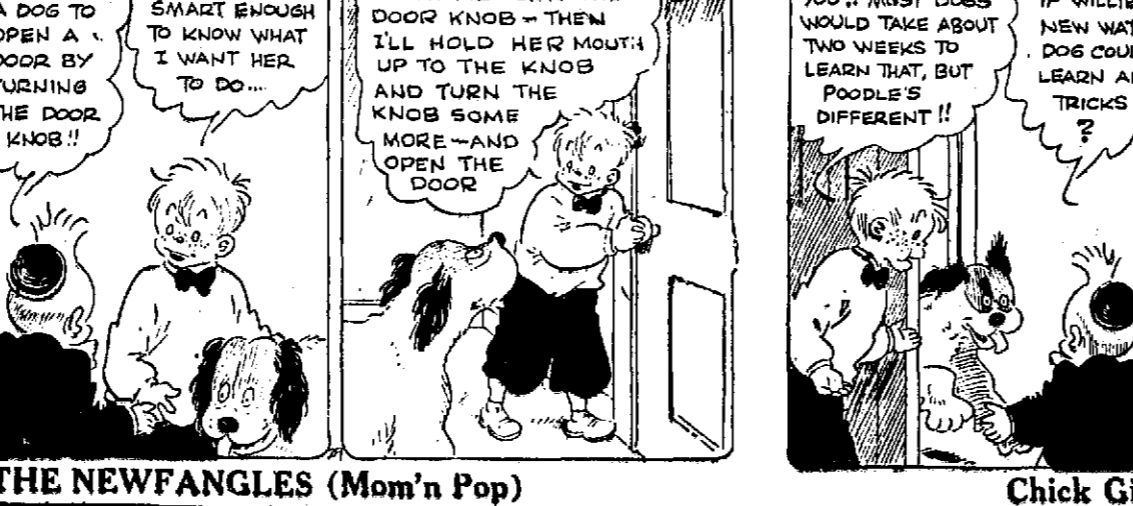
WELL, FAT BOY, ARE YOU READY TO BE TIED TO THE STAKE AND DROWNED? HELP ME UP, SOMEBODY! I'LL FIGHT THAT BLINKING CHINAMAN TILL I CROAKS. NO YOU WON'T EITHER. THIS IS ALL NONSENSE. AT GUYS NO MORE A CHINAMAN THAN I AM.



YESSUM, MAM, I SELL ALL KINDS JEWELRY! GENUINE FAKE DIAMONDS, NICE GREEN EMERALDS OR ANYTHING YA MIGHT CRAVE! WELL, HOW ABOUT A WEDDING RING? OH, REALLY, MADAM! THIS IS THE FIRST LEAPYEAR PROPOSAL I'VE HAD!



HOW'D Y'LIKE MY NEW COIFFURE, WILLIE? SWEET! SAY, HAVE YA SEEN BRIGHT EYES? Y'MEAN 'SUSPECT? NOPE! WHY? AW! I TOOK 'IM UP FER A HOP—OR AT LEAST, I THOUGHT I DID! BUT WHEN I CAME DOWN, HE WASN'T IN TH' PLANE—GOSH! MEBBE I'M WRONG.



G'WAN! YOU CAN'T TEACH A DOG TO OPEN A DOOR BY TURNING THE DOOR KNOB!! JUST WATCH ME!! POODLE IS SMART ENOUGH TO KNOW WHAT I WANT HER TO DO... FIRST I HAVE POODLE WATCH ME TURN THE DOOR KNOB—THEN I'LL HOLD HER MOUTH UP TO THE KNOB AND TURN THE KNOB SOME MORE—AND OPEN THE DOOR.



OUT OUR WAY By AHERN



DRAT YOU! YOU KNEW THEM'D DO THAT—THAT'S WHY YOU STUCK AROUND SO CLOSE, TO SEE THE FUN! I'LL RUN YOU, SCARING THE WITS OUT OF ME YOU—YOU—



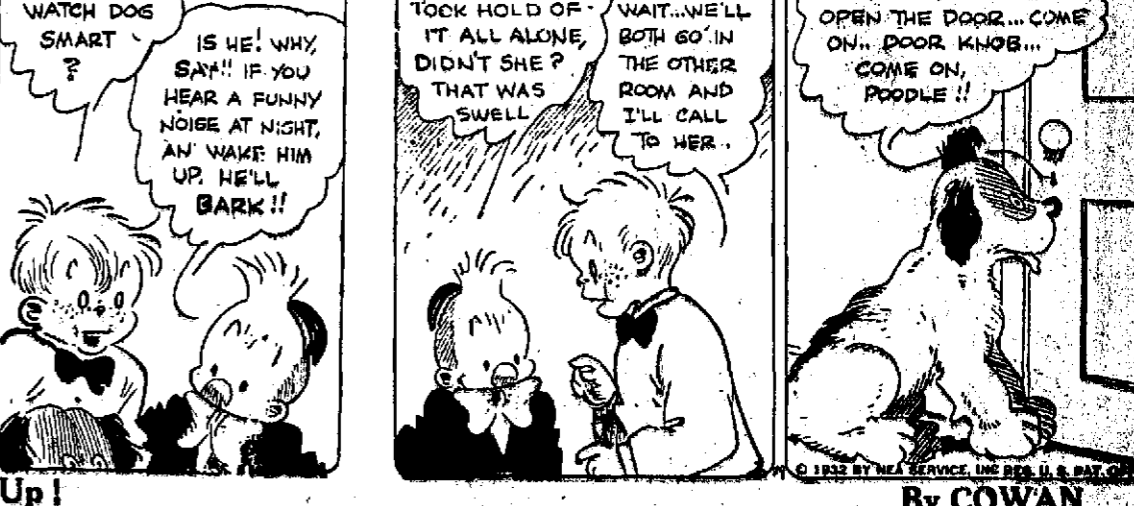
WELL, GOSH, RIGHT YOU'VE LEARNED SOMETHIN' NOW—WHY GIT MAD ABOUT IT? WELL, I'VE GOT TO GO—I'VE GOT TO GO—



OH, REALLY, MADAM! THIS IS THE FIRST LEAPYEAR PROPOSAL I'VE HAD!



HEY, YOU! BAW APE—WHY'S THE IDEA IN RUNNING OFF AND LEAVING ME UP IN THE SKY? TELL ME THAT I DOGSN'T I'M GOOD AND SORE NOW.



SHE FINALLY TOOK HOLD OF IT ALL ALONE, DIDN'T SHE? THAT WAS SWEET.



## Publisher Named to Senate Post



Major John S. Cohen (above), distinguished publisher of the Atlanta Journal, has been appointed by Governor Richard B. Russell, Jr., of Georgia to serve until fall in the Senate seat left vacant by the death of Senator William J. Harris. A Democratic National Committeeman, Major Cohen has been active in many public benefactions.

a number of visitors from St. Paul and Ozark churches. Miss Mary Leonard of Henderson State Teachers college came home on a visit to her parents last week end. Mrs. J. L. Leonard spent a few days the past week in Mineral Springs with friends.

Miss Ella Monroe is in Little Rock this week with her sister, Mrs. Pink Horton, who is ill in the hospital here. Misses Shirley and Myrtle Bearden of Hope were Saturday visitors of their sister, Mrs. W. I. Stroud. Misses Charlotte Merrell and Noelle

## The Standings

SOUTHERN ASSOCIATION			
Clubs	W.	L.	Pct.
Memphis	12	3	.800
Chattanooga	11	6	.647
Birmingham	10	8	.556
New Orleans	10	10	.500
Atlanta	9	10	.474
Knoxville	8	10	.442
Nashville	5	8	.385
Little Rock	5	11	.313

Thursday's Results  
Nashville 6, Little Rock 1.  
Memphis 3, Chattanooga 2.  
New Orleans 10-5, Knoxville 8-6.  
Birmingham 7-5, Atlanta 3-8.

Games Friday  
Nashville at Little Rock.  
Chattanooga at Memphis.  
Knoxville at Birmingham.  
New Orleans at Atlanta.

NATIONAL LEAGUE			
Clubs	W.	L.	Pct.
Chicago	10	3	.769
Boston	8	3	.727
Cincinnati	7	8	.467
Philadelphia	6	7	.462
New York	6	6	.500
Pittsburgh	6	8	.429
Brooklyn	4	7	.364
St. Louis	5	9	.357

Thursday's Results  
Brooklyn 11, Philadelphia 5.  
Cincinnati 7, Pittsburgh 6.  
Chicago 12, St. Louis 7.  
New York-Boston postponed; cold weather.

Games Friday  
St. Louis at Chicago.  
Cincinnati at Pittsburgh.  
New York at Boston.  
Brooklyn at Philadelphia.

AMERICAN LEAGUE			
Clubs	W.	L.	Pct.
New York	8	3	.727
Washington	7	4	.632
Detroit	9	5	.643
Cleveland	9	6	.600
St. Louis	6	9	.400
Chicago	5	9	.357
Philadelphia	4	8	.333
Boston	3	9	.250

Thursday's Results  
New York 10, Philadelphia 4.  
Cleveland 11, Chicago 2.  
St. Louis 5, Detroit 4.

Games Friday  
Detroit at St. Louis.  
Chicago at Cleveland.  
Philadelphia at Washington.  
Boston at New York.

Levins were shopping in Hope Tuesday afternoon.

Miss Margaret Robertson, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. T. J. Robinson, of this city, who will graduate from the Upper Darby high school, Philadelphia, Penn., this spring, has returned to Philadelphia to complete her school year after visiting Washington, D. C., Annapolis, Mount Vernon, Va., and other points of interest, on a trip Hope.

## "Cleanest Baby"



You can't dispute the fact that little Antonio Morales, shown here, scored a "clean victory" in a contest with numerous other children in the infant schools of Barcelona, Spain, for she was awarded the prize as "the cleanest and best-kept child." The contest was in connection with a campaign for personal hygiene.

sponsored by the senior class of her school. Miss Robinson will return to Washington immediately after her graduation in June.

Mrs. W. I. Stroud spent a few hours in Hope Tuesday afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. William Scroggins, and family, of Nashville, were visitors of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Turner Tuesday.

## Green Laseter

Mrs. Carol Turner called on Mrs. Albert Robertson a while Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Stuart spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Butler, Jr.

Mrs. George Johnson and daughter, Mildred and Mrs. J. T. Cumble visited with Mrs. Joe Gentry a while Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam England, Misses LaVeta and Ada Mae England, called on Mr. and Mrs. Earl Ross Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. J. T. Cumble and parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Woodul spent Tuesday afternoon with Mrs. G. P. Putman.

Miss Dorothy Robertson spent the week end with Miss Wreatha May of other points of interest, on a trip Hope.

## Persons From Out-of-State Appear To Be Looking Toward Arkansas as Being Good Place for Future Homes

### Commissioner of Agriculture at Little Rock Receives Numerous Requests From Other States Relative to Farming Possibilities in Arkansas. This Paper Receives Request From Wisconsin

Earl Page, Commissioner of Mines, Manufactures and Agriculture, reports that there is a material increase in the number of inquiries from other states for farms and farm lands in Arkansas. "There seems to be a 'back to the farm' movement from cities and industrial centers," says Mr. Page. In addition to this, according to Commissioner Page, there are many farmers in other states who have heard of the opportunities in agriculture in Arkansas and are attracted to this section, and say they desire to make a change of location and come to Arkansas. Commissioner Page reports the following list of inquiries within the past week:

L. L. Barker, Mission, Texas, writes: "Please send us some prices on farms, as we are looking for a farm in Arkansas; we have heard so much about the state."

A. F. Brunski, 308 19th street, Oakland, Calif., writes: "Kindly send me data about farming and commercial activities in your state."

A writer without giving his name but giving the address as P. O. Box 22, No. Postal Station, Boston, Mass., writes: "Please send me literature, maps, etc., concerning Northwest Arkansas, the Ozark mountains or vicinity, of interest to future settlers or sportsmen and those interested in agriculture, hunting and fishing."

H. L. Johns, 2141 W. Monroe street, Phoenix, Ariz., writes: "Would like information on the following: Dairy prospects; agricultural colleges; agricultural conditions. The Saturday Evening Post had a small item on Arkansas several weeks ago, and it looks like more information would do us out this way a lot of good. Am an ex-service man drawing a pension, holding a good job, but it does look like Arkansas has some good prospects for me and the kids."

C. J. Brayman, 620 West Michigan Avenue, Lansing, Michigan, writes: "As we have under consideration the buying of a farm in northern Arkansas we would appreciate any bulletins you may have available relative to crops which are or can be raised in that part of the state." He wants to know about sections that grow alfalfa, small fruits and vegetables.

Chas. H. Rodick, Sand Springs, Okla., writes: "I am interested in the agricultural resources of Arkansas, and if I ever sell our farm and hatchery here I expect to locate in Arkansas, the southern part, in the fruit district near DeQueen. Send us literature."

E. C. Ragar, 200 N. Main street, Borger, Texas, writes: "Can you send me a list of farms for sale in the vicinity of Harrison? I have income property here, and would consider trading or buying."

J. Harrison Pate, 917 N. Massachusetts Avenue, Lakeland, Florida, writes: "I am very much interested in your state and am planning to visit Arkansas and a few southwestern states in the summer; would like some literature and information about the state."

Thos. B. Stevens, Route 2, Box 77, Grand Rapids, Minn., writes: will you send me some bulletins that will be helpful to me in farming in Baxter county; we expect to move there in October."

E. W. Ebert, Ithaca, Neb., writes: "I am an eastern Nebraska farmer, having lived here all my life. Am engaged in general farming, using both horses and tractors. Account of ill health the doctor says must move to warmer climate, and recommends

## Press Club Veteran to Retire



John Bennis, above, for 25 years night factotum of the San Francisco Press Club, and friend of the famous world around, has decided to quit staying out nights to see people. Bennis, who has been the official greeter to presidents, kings, admirals, sea flyers and what have you, feels that at 84 he needs a rest. But instead of leaving the Press Club, he has decided to live there. He helped introduce the merry-go-round in America.

any farms for rent, as we might prefer to rent one year before we buy." H. F. Blaydes, 2426 Brandon street.

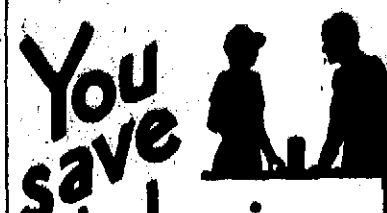
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Dallas, Tex., writes: "Would especially like to have information on the following counties: Benton, Carroll, Boone, Marion, Baker, Fulton, Washington, Madison, Newton, Searcy, Stone, Izard and Independence."

W. C. Davis 3-A Ldry. Hill, Bixbee, Arizona, writes: "Please send me your monthly Bulletin, and I am also interested in buying a small farm."

This paper acknowledges receipt of letter from R. Burford, of Springbrook, Wis., asking for information concerning land and timber in this part of Hempstead county. He says he is in the market for cutover land and wishes to hear from persons having such land for sale.



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## Triplets Tied in Triple Knot



When the 13-year-old Purpaff triplets of Cleveland, Minn., decided to get married they also decided to make it a triple ceremony and whole town of population turned out to see the minister tie the triple knot. Here are the triplets: Alvin, Leslie and Marie, as they appeared at the ceremony. They were accompanied by Mrs. Nick From, Mrs. Ernest Vogel and Mrs. Frederick McNamara.

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BRUCE E. WALLACE, Managing Director

## Helping to Cut Federal Expenses



Behind closed doors in the Cabinet room of the White House, they heard President Hoover's suggestions for a sweeping reduction in Federal expenditures. Shown as they left after the meeting are, left to right, Congressman Louis Douglas, Arizona; John McDuffie, Alabama; and Joseph W. Burns, Tennessee, of the House economy committee.

## When it rains it pours



Pedestrians crossing Tremont Street, Boston, Mass., during a heavy rain. In the background is the historic Boston Common.

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Cabbage Texas Green, Medium Firm Heads—Lb. 2½c

Bread Blue Ribbon Fullman 16c 16 oz. Blue Ribbon 5c

Oleo, Valley Park, 2 lbs. 25c

Heinz Baked Beans, 10c can... 6c

P & G Soap Six 8 oz. bars... 19c

Best Salt Meat Streaked, lb. 7½c

Gold Medal Oats with premium... 9c

Star Washing Powder, 3 pkgs. 10c

Lettuce Fancy Large Head—Each 5c

Pineapple, Betsy Ross, large 19c

Spaghetti, Heinz, 15c can... 10c

Skinner's Mac, and Spag. 2 pkgs 15c

Kraut—Stokeley's, No. 1 tall... 7½c

Peas—Black Eye 10c Home, 3 lbs. 10c

Beans, Pinto or Gr. North., 3 lbs. 10c

## SATURDAY SPECIALS

PURE CANE—Limit 20 lbs.  
Sugar 10 lb. cloth bag 42c 20 lb. paper bag 82c

Blanton's Mayonnaise and Salad Dressing 24 ounce Jar 25c

B and C Powder Guaranteed to Please 16 ounce Can 10c

California Red Ball Oranges Dozen 15c

Rasins 2 Pound Package 16c

DRY SALT Meat Good and Streaked Pound 6½c

TABLE Salt 3 Pound Package 4c

"Old Tyme" Cream Meal (Limit 2 Sacks) 24 Pound Sack 25c

PEANUT Butter Quart Jar 23c

WILSCO Lard 8 Pound Bucket 53c

Oodles of Other Specials—Come In—Let's Trade.

## MARKET SPECIALS

Morrell's Boneless Picnics—lb. 10c

CHEESE—No 1 full cream—lb. 14½c

BACON DECKER'S IOWANA—1 lb. Carton 20c

Pork Shoulder Roast—lb. 11c

Weiner Style Sausage 2 lbs. 25c

VEAL STEAK 12½c Pound

VEAL STEW 7c Pound

NECK BONES 5c Pound

Channell CAT FISH, lb. 24c